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COPPER ORE CONCENTRATION COMBINE

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The Gayevskiy Copper Ore Concentration Combine (51-27N 58-32E) is located 14 nautical miles north of Orsk, USSR. This new large copper combine has been reported several times in the Soviet press and on Soviet radio as being under construction in early 1959 and in production in 1960, but the precise location of this combine had never been reported.

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A study of photography reveals that the combine is undergoing extensive development. Housing and plant facilities are under construction and overburden is being removed at the mine site. A water pipeline, seven miles long, is under construction from the plant east to the Ural River. A standard gauge rail spur from the plant to the main railroad (Route 462) eleven kilometers northwest of Orsk is nearing completion.

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